## **9700 to 9732**—Continued.

9722. OREODOXA OLERACEA.

Mountain palm of Jamaica.

"A very handsome ornamental plant." (Rolfs.)

9723. Sabal sp.

Cuban sabal.

"A very sturdy, big-trunked tree." (Rolfs.)

9724. Livistona hoogendorpii.

"An ornamental palm." (Rolfs.)

9725. Sabal adansoni.

"A dwarf palmetto." (Rolfs.)

9726. Pandanus vandermeschii.

9727. ARECA ALICAE.

9728. Cocos botryophora.

9729. Livistona rotundifolia.

9730. Pandanes ethlis.

9731. Roystonia regia.

"Is supposed to be distinct from the Porto Rico and Florida royal palm, making a tree of much grander stature." (Rolfs.)

9732. Ananas sativus.

Pineapple.

"Seedling pineapple plants." (Rolfs.)

## 9733. SECHIUM EDULE.

Chayote.

From San Juan, P. R. Presented by Miss Jennie H. Ericson. Received June 1, 1903.

## 9734 to 9749. Medicago spp.

From Madrid, Spain. Received through Messrs. Lathrop and Fairchild (No. 1189, a to p, May, 1903), June 1, 1903.

"The Botanic Gardens of Madrid have represented in their collection a large number of grasses and fodder plants, and the head gardener, Mr. Luis Aterido, has kindly furnished us with a collection of seeds of sixteen species of Medicagos, some of which may prove of value for breeding purposes. They are as follows:

9734.	MEDICAGO LUPULINA.	9742.	Medicago tuberculata.
9735.	MEDICAGO RIGIDULA.	9743.	Medicago murex.
9736.	Medicago gerardi.	9744.	Medicago praecox.
9737.	MEDICAGO LACINIATA.	9745.	Medicago suffruticosa.
9738.	Medicago intertexta.	9746.	MEDICAGO RADIATA.
9739.	Medicago disciformis.	9747.	MEDICAGO CILIARIS.
9740.	Medicago orbicularis.	9748.	MEDICAGO FALCATA.
9741.	Medicago tenoreana.	9749.	Medicago scutellata.

"Among these, several are indigenous to Spain and all of them have a greater or less value as fodder plants. They are mostly annuals, however, and are therefore limited in value for direct use." (Fairchild.)

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